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# SUMMARY OF TOXICOLOGY DATA DISODIUM CYANODITHIOIMIDOCARBONATE

Chemical Code # 000967, Tolerance #50394 SB 950 #658

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# I. DATA GAP STATUS

Chronic toxicity, rat: Data gap, no study submitted.

Subchronic Dermal, rat

No data gap, no adverse systemic effects

Chronic toxicity, dog: Data gap, no study submitted

Oncogenicity, rat: Data gap, no study submitted

Oncogenicity, mouse: Data gap, no study submitted

Reproduction, rat: Data gap, no study submitted.

Teratology, rat: No data gap, no adverse effect

Teratology, rabbit: No data gap, possible adverse effect

Gene mutation: No data gap, no adverse effects

Chromosome effects: No data gap, possible adverse effect

DNA damage: No Data gap, no adverse effect

Neurotoxicity: Not required at this time

Toxicology one-liners are attached.

All record numbers through 212382 were examined.

**Bold face** indicates a possible adverse effect.

File name: T041215

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US Environmental Protection Agency issued a AReregistration Eligibility Decision@ in September of 1994. DCDIC is an antimicrobial pesticide with aquatic, non-food industrial uses.

<sup>\*\*</sup> indicates an acceptable study.

# II. TOXICOLOGY ONE-LINERS AND CONCLUSIONS

These pages contain summaries only. Individual worksheets may contain additional effects.

# CHRONIC TOXICITY, RAT

No study submitted.

Subchronic, dermal

\*\* 020 130934 Siglin, J. C. A91-Day Dermal Toxicity Study in Rats with DCDIC.@ (Springborn Life Sciences Inc., SLS Study No. 3138.21, September 27, 1988.) 220C. 32% by weight) was administered dermally for 6 hours/day, 5 days/week for 13 consecutive weeks to 10 Sprague-Dawley rats/sex/group. Doses were 0 (water), 25, 125, or 250 mg/kg. Test article was applied as a 10% solution (w/v) at volumes of 0.25, 1.25 and 2.50 ml/kg with control receiving 2.5 ml/kg of water. The report did not state whether the doses were corrected for purity of DCDIC. Doses were applied to approximately 10% of the body surface and were stated as held in skin contact with gauze but details were not included as to how the material was spread onto the skin. Also, it was not clear if the treatment area was occluded. Following each exposure, the test area was wiped with gauze soaked with water. Body weight, bodyweight gain and food consumption were slightly reduced for mid- and high-dose female groups. Females (5/10) exhibited a weakened/absent limb grasping response at 250 mg/kg/day. There were no effects in males. Skin irritation was transient and mild for mid and high-dose groups of both sexes and for low dose females. Dermal NOEL < 25 mg/kg/day (erythema). Slightly reduced total bilirubin, creatinine, and potassium values at the high dose were reported but probably not biologically meaningful. Systemic NOEL = 25 mg/kg/day for females and 250 mg/kg/day for males. Initially reviewed as unacceptable but possibly upgradeable with clarification of the preparation of the dosing material and the method by which it was applied. No adverse systemic effects. Mild dermal irritation at all doses in females. (Kishiyama and Gee, 4/16/03). Updated October 15, 2004 with the submission of a statement that the test article solutions were not corrected for the 32% ai content. Actual doses of the ai were 0, 8, 40 and 80 mg/kg/day (see 50394-0022, letter from Dr. Siglin, dated May 10, 2004.) This upgrades the study to ACCEPTABLE status. (Gee, 10/15/04)

EPA: dermal NOEL < 25 mg/kg/day based on erythema and a systemic NOEL of 25 mg/kg/day based on lower body weight and food consumption.

CHRONIC TOXICITY, DOG

No study submitted.

ONCOGENICITY, RAT

No study submitted

ONCOGENICITY, MOUSE

No study submitted

REPRODUCTION, RAT

No study submitted.

# TERATOLOGY, RAT

\*\* 50394 - 016 114094 Rodwell, D. E. ATeratology Study in Rats with DCDIC.@ (Springborn Life Sciences Inc., SLS Study No. 3138.23, September 20, 1988.) DCDIC (lot # 220C, 32% by weight) was administered as a single daily dose by gavage on days 6 through 15 of gestation at doses of 0, 0, 2, 6, or 18 mg/kg/day to 28 mated female Sprague-Dawley rats/group. Doses were not corrected for chemical purity. Mean pre- and post-implantation losses were comparable across all groups, including 18 mg/kg/day. Maternal NOEL = 6 mg/kg/day (reduced bodyweight, bodyweight gain, food consumption, decreased activity and partial loss of hind limb mobility, hunched posture and unthrifty appearance). Developmental NOEL = 6 mg/kg/day (non-statistically significant increased incidence of litters with bent ribs and unossified hyoid (reported as due to severe maternal toxicity), slightly reduced fetal body weight (6%) as a possible treatment related effect). No adverse developmental effects. ACCEPTABLE. (Kishiyama and Gee, 4/15/03)

EPA: NOEL = 6 mg/kg/day.

50119 - 009 074327 Duplicate of the above study on DCDIC indexed as Busan 85 (2hydroxypropyl methanethiosulfonate).

50119 - 009 074571 Rodwell, D. E. APilot teratology study in rats with DCDIC.@ (Springborn Life Sciences, Inc., SLS 3138.22, May 31, 1988) Test article was DCDIC, lot 220C. Groups of 8 presumptive pregnant Sprague-Dawley COBS7CD7 rats were given doses of 0 (water), 100, 200, 400, 600 and 800 mg/kg/day in 10 ml/kg by oral gavage. Doses were not adjusted for chemical purity (32% by weight). Due to toxicity, this portion of the study was terminated before day 20. Six additional groups were given 0, 2, 5, 10, 15 and 20 mg/kg/day for 10 days, gestation days 6 through 15. C-sections were performed on day 20 and maternal and external fetal exams performed. Body weights were recorded during the study on days 0, 6, 9, 12, 16 and 20. Survival was 100%. Clinical signs of decreased activity (6/3, incidence/number of animals), partial loss of hind limb mobility (21/5), hunched posture (6/3) and rough coat (5/3) were noted at 20 mg/kg/day. Body weight gains were affected at 10 (days 6-9), 15 (6-9 and 12-16) and 20 (severe loss 6-9, 12-16 and 6-16) mg/kg/day. Corpora lutea count, implantation sites, viable fetuses, early and late resorptions and sex ratios were not affected by treatment at any dose, including 20 mg/kg/day. No dams had only resorptions. Fetal weights were slightly

lower at 20 mg/kg/day (3.6 versus 3.8). Doses selected for the definitive study were 2, 6 and 18 mg/kg/day. No worksheet. (Gee, 4/17/03)

# TERATOLOGY, RABBIT

\*\* 50394 - 016 114091 Rodwell, D. E. ATeratology Study in Rabbits with DCDIC.@ (Springborn Life Sciences Inc., SLS Study No. 3138.25, December 8, 1988.) 220C, 32% by weight) was administered in a single daily gavage on days 6 through 18 of gestation at doses of 0, 0, 3, 10, or 30 mg/kg/day (not corrected for chemical purity) to 20 artificially inseminated female New Zealand White rabbits/group. Effects observed included reddish colored fluid in some high-dose cages, reduced activity and hairloss for mid and high dose groups, reduced body weight gain for high dose group, and treatment-related death of one mid and two high dose does. Pregnancy rate was 20% lower (70%) for the high dose group than controls (90%). In addition, 2/18 and 4/14 mid- and high- dose pregnant does had total litter resorption. MATERNAL NOEL = 3 mg/kg/day. Litter size was reduced and reflected the increased incidence of early resorptions, pre- and post- implantation loss and reduced implantation sites for mid- and high- dose does. DEVELOPMENTAL NOEL = 3 mg/kg/day. No evidence of teratogenicity per se. It was, however, not clear whether the fetotoxicity/embryolethality and preimplantation loss were due to maternal toxicity or to specific toxicity to the fertilized ovum. ACCEPTABLE. (Kishiyama and Gee, 4/15/03) EPA: Maternal and developmental NOEL = 3 mg/kg/day (reduced activity, mortality, increased resorptions and decreased litter size).

50119 074566 Duplicate of the above study on DCDIC indexed as Busan 85 (2-hydroxypropyl methanethiosulfonate).

50119 - 010 074572 Rodwell, D. E. APilot teratology study in rabbits with DCDIC.@ (Springborn Life Sciences, SLS 3138.24, May 31, 1988). DCDIC (lot 220C, 32% by weight) was given by oral gavage to groups of 6 artificially inseminated New Zealand White rabbits at doses of 0 (water), 5, 10, 20, 50 or 80 mg/kg/day, gestation days 6 through 18. These doses were not corrected for chemical purity. There were 3/6 deaths at 50 mg/kg/day and 6/6 deaths at 80 mg/kg/day. Body weight and clinical signs were recorded. Fetal weight and external appearance were evaluated. Maternal clinical signs at 50 and, with increased incidence, at 80 mg/kg/day included decreased activity, partial loss of front limb mobility, prostration, soft/few/no feces, inhibited blinking response and ocular discharge. At termination, there were 4, 4, 3, 4, 1 and 0 litters with viable fetuses. The other does were not pregnant or had total litter resorptions (0, 1, 2, 0, 1, 0). One abortion occurred at 5 mg/kg/day but was not considered related to treatment as none occurred at higher doses. Body weight gains were lower at 50 and 80 mg/kg/day. The data for pre- and post-implantation loss at the lower doses (5, 10 and 20 mg/kg/day) without overt maternal toxicity suggested that there may be an embryotoxic effect with DCDIC, although the data were limited by the number of pregnant does. Apparent maternal NOEL = 20 mg/kg/day (mortality, clinical signs); developmental NOEL < 5 mg/kg/day (embryotoxicity). The study was considered supplemental to the full rabbit teratology study and was used for dose selection. (Gee. 4/17/03)

# **GENE MUTATION**

\*\* 013 062457 Jagannath, D. R. AMutagenicity test on DCDIC in the Ames Salmonella/Microsome Mutation Assay. (Hazleton Laboratories America, Inc., HLA Study No.: 9971-0-401, October 12, 1987) Disodium Cyanodithioimidocarbonate (DCDIC) lot 220C, 32% active ingredient, was used at concentrations of 0, 0.1, 1.0, 2.5, 5, 10, 25, 50, and 100 μl/plate with and without S9 mix and evaluated for mutagenicity with Salmonella typhimurium strains TA1535, TA1537, TA1538, TA98, and TA100. There were triplicate plates per concentration with two independent trials. The number of revertants increased for TA 1535 in the repeat test, therefore, two additional trials were performed with DCDIC (with and without S9) with TA 1535. There were no increases in revertants in either additional trial. DCDIC was not mutagenic. ACCEPTABLE. (Kishiyama and Gee, 4/14/03)

50394 - 0023 215171 "Mutagenicity test on DCDIC in the L5178Y TK+/- mouse lymphoma forward mutation assay." (Cifone, M. A., Corning Hazleton Inc. (CHV), VA, Project 17038-0-431, October 5, 1995) DCDIC was tested with mouse lymphoma cells with and without S9 activation from Sprague-Dawley Aroclor 1254-induced male rat liver. Concentrations were based on cytotoxicity and pH (higher concentrations increased the pH to 8+, which was not compatible with cell growth). Concentrations without activation ranged from 750 to 3000 ug/ml and, with activation , from 125 to 1000 ug/ml. There was one assay with one culture per concentration, triplicate plates for mutations against 5-trifluorothymidine and three for cloning efficiency at the end of the expression period. The size of the colonies was evaluated. Positive controls were functional. There was no evidence of mutagenicity. Unacceptable. Not upgradeable (no confirming assay). (Gee, 12/15/04)

# CHROMOSOME EFFECTS

\*\* 013 062458 Murli, H. AMutagenicity test on DCDIC in an *In Vitro* Cytogenetic Assay Measuring Sister Chromatid Exchange Frequencies in Chinese Hamster Ovary (CHO) Cells.@ (Hazleton Laboratories America, Inc., HLA Study No.: 9971-0-438, August 25, 1987) DCDIC (lot 220C, 32% from record 062447, sp. gr. 1.28) was tested at concentrations of 0, 10, 33.3, 100, 333, or 1000 μl/ml without S9, at 33.3, 100, 333, or 1000 μl/ml with S9 and repeated at 198, 298, 397, 496, or 595 μl/ml without S9 Mix for evaluating the potential to induce sister chromatid exchanges (SCE) in Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells. **DCDIC in the absence of metabolic activation was reported as positive for inducing chromatid exchanges in Chinese Hamster ovary cells.** ACCEPTABLE. (Kishiyama and Gee, 4/14/03)

#### DNA DAMAGE

\*\* 013 062447 Cifone, M. A. AMutagenicity test on DCDIC in the Rat Hepatocyte Unscheduled DNA Synthesis Assay.@ (Hazleton Laboratories America, Inc., HLA Study No.:

9971-0-447, November 11, 1987) DCDIC (lot 220C, 32% by weight) was evaluated for effects on DNA at concentrations of 0 (medium), 504, 1010, 2020, 3020, 4030, and 5040  $\mu$ g/ml by measuring UDS in primary rat hepatocytes by autoradiography. There were triplicate coverslips per concentration with 50 cells evaluated per coverslip for a total of 150 cells per concentration in a single trial. Viability was determined by Trypan blue dye exclusion. DCDIC at 4030  $\mu$ g/ml increased the percentage of nuclei (12.7%) containing  $\geq$  6 grains. The increase was reported as spurious and DCDIC evaluated as negative for UDS, due to the lack of a dose related trend and no significant increase in net nuclear grains. Initially reviewed as unacceptable (No individual data). Upgradeable with submission of data for each coverslip, including cytoplasmic and nuclear grain counts. (Kishiyama and Gee, 4/14/03) 50394-0022 212382 contains the individual coverslip data for the study. The study is upgraded to ACCEPTABLE status. (Gee, 10/15/04)

022 212382 Supplemental data for record 062447, containing the individual coverslip data. Amendment is dated April 19, 2004. (Gee, 10/15/04)

**NEUROTOXICITY** 

Not required at this time.